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- 1. PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE OVER THE YEARS IN THE TREATMENT OF LEUKEMIA BY CHEMOTHERAPY AND RADIATION. FOR EXAMPLE ADVANCES HAVE BEEN MADE OVER THE LAST FEW YEARS IN THE TREATMENT OF CHILDHOOD ACUTE LYMPHOBLASTIC LEUKEMIA. HOWEVER, WE DO NOT KNOW OF ANY RECENT BREAKTHROUGH AS DESCRIBED IN REFTEL.
- 2. THERE ARE MANY DIFFERENT KINDS OF LEUKEMIA(ACUTE, CHRONIC, LYMPHOBLASTIC, CHILDHOOD, ETC.). WE WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING MORE ABOUT THE KIND OF ALLEGED BREAKTHROUGH REPORTED IN LOCAL PRESS. WOULD IT BE UNCLASSIFIED

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3. THERE IS A NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF CANCER IN RIO WHICH PARTICIPATES IN THE INTERNATIONAL UNION AGAINST CANCER. THE HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL MEDICINE AND HEMATOLOGY IS DR. L. FAMADAS, INSTITUTO NACIONAL DE

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